

**REMARKS**

Applicants thank the Examiner for an indication that claims 7 and 8 are allowed. Claims 12-19 were withdrawn in response to a Restriction Requirement. Applicants petition the Commissioner for a 1-month extension of time. A separate petition accompanies this amendment.

**I. Amendments**

Claim 12 is amended to put withdrawn claims 12-14 in condition for rejoinder in accordance with MPEP 821.04. Specifically, claim 12 is amended to depend from allowed claim 7. Dependent claims 13-24 now indirectly depend from allowed claim 7.

Claims 15-19 stand canceled.

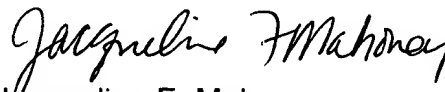
By these amendments, no new subject matter has been added.

**CONCLUSION**

In view of the foregoing, Applicants submit that the claims pending in the application are in condition for allowance. A Notice of Allowance is therefore respectfully requested.

The Examiner is invited to contact Applicants' representative at (650) 838-4410 if it is believed that prosecution of this application may be assisted thereby.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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